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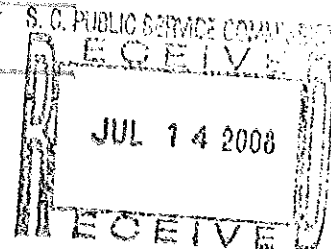
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Dear Mr. Terreni:

As customers of SCE&G, we wish to participate in the proceedings scheduled for the 27<sup>th</sup> of October, 2008, regarding certification of environmental compatibility for construction of a new nuclear power facility at the V.C. Summer Nuclear Station site near Jenkinsville, SC,  
**Docket # 2008-196-E.**

We were out of town when the June bill arrived, and only now learned that SCE&G proposes to begin preparation of the site and perform construction work prior to the October hearing. We urge the PSC to deny permission to begin any phase of construction prior to the scheduled hearing. It is our understanding that SCE&G received permission to pass on to the customers any expense of construction of the new facility. Since we would be among those paying for this construction, we object to beginning such construction and site preparation, and possibly incurring expenses for those activities, before the assessment of environmental compatibility can take place.

Among our concerns for this project are:

1. Health risks associated with nuclear power
2. Water use for cooling the reactors, at a time when water resources are threatened
3. Increased rates required for the public to underwrite the new facility
4. Verification of SCE&G's predictions of future electricity needs
5. Energy conservation education and efficiency incentives as an alternative to construction of a new nuclear facility

Sincerely,

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